



Michigan Department of Natural Resources

TREE ORDER – SPRING 2008

The information requested below is required to order trees from the local partners of the Restoration Of Our Trees Program.



ROOT SPONSORS



Restoration Of Our Trees

A program to restore canopy cover in areas impacted by the Emerald Ash Borer.

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH



The Restoration Of Our Trees (ROOT) program is designed to assist homeowners who have been impacted by the emerald ash borer (EAB) to replant trees.

Homeowners who live in the following counties are eligible to participate:

Branch	Calhoun	Clinton	Eaton	Genesee	Gratiot	Hillsdale
Ingham	Jackson	Lapeer	Lenawee	Livingston	Macomb	Monroe
Oakland	Saginaw	Sanilac	Shiawassee	St. Clair	Washtenaw	Wayne

- Homeowners can order trees beginning February 19, 2008.
- Homeowner does not need to have lost an ash tree to participate in this program.
- Cost to the homeowner is \$21 per tree, and the remaining cost is paid by a generous donation from the DTE Energy Foundation.
- Trees are sold on a first-come, first-served basis, with a limit of two (2) trees per household.
- Homeowner is responsible to pick up tree(s) in April 2008 - date and location to be provided.
- Cost of tree is non-refundable, with no exchange, no warranty and no guarantee.

Choose from the following trees: (all trees are 5-8' tall in 5-7 gallon containers)

- Sugar Maple, *Acer saccharum*
- River Birch, *Betula nigra* 'Heritage'
- Ginkgo, *Ginkgo biloba* 'Autumn Gold'
- Tuliptree, *Liriodendron tulipifera*
- Dawn Redwood, *Metasequoia glyptostroboides*
- London Planetree, *Platanus x acerifolia*
- Northern Red Oak, *Quercus rubra*
- Swamp White Oak, *Quercus bicolor*

Complete the information below, **retain a copy for your records**, and submit to the address provided below. Please print.

Name	Telephone	County
Address		E-mail
City, State, ZIP		Amount Enclosed \$

Provide your choice of tree species in order of preference - limit two (2) trees per household. Price is \$21 per tree. List only those tree(s) you are willing to accept.

Tree #1	1 st Choice _____	Tree #2	1 st Choice _____
	2 nd Choice _____		2 nd Choice _____

I agree that the State of Michigan, DTE Energy Foundation, USDA Forest Service, or Genesee County Parks and Recreation Commission shall not be liable, in contract, tort, strict liability, or otherwise, for any damages arising out of the administration or participation of this program. I understand that the State of Michigan makes no warranties, expressed or implied, with respect to any material supplied under this program.

I further agree to pick up my tree(s) in April 2008 (date and location to be provided). I also agree to plant my tree(s) immediately and give my tree(s) ongoing care. I understand the trees are under no warranty or guarantee. I agree to check with my local public works department or city forester for permission to plant my tree(s) between the sidewalk and the curb.

I agree to call Miss Dig at (800) 482-7171 to locate underground utilities before beginning any tree planting or digging project.

Signature _____

Date _____

If you are paying by **credit card** please provide the following information: Credit Card Type (please circle one): Visa Mastercard
Name on Card _____ Card Number _____ Expiration: _____

Cardholder Signature: _____

Provide all information above, sign, and submit with check/money order payable to **Genesee County Parks and Recreation Commission** or credit card information for \$21 (1 tree) or \$42 (2 trees), and send to:

Genesee County Parks and Recreation Commission
2142 North Genesee Rd.
Burton, MI 48509

If you have any questions, please contact:

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